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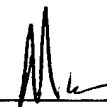
Sir:

Enclosed for filing please find a duly executed Power of Attorney by Assignee for the above-identified application which specifies an Assignment recordal date of February 5, 2004, at Reel 14949, Frame 318, and shows Assignee's entire right, title and interest to establish ownership.

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Sir:

THERMA-WAVE, INC., assignee of the entire right title and interest in the above-identified application by assignment dated October 31, 2003, which assignment was recorded in the Patent and Trademark Office on February 5, 2004, at Reel 14949, frame 318, hereby appoints the practitioners associated with the Customer Number below as attorney(s) and/or agent(s) to prosecute this application and transact all business in the Patent and Trademark Office connected herewith:

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